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Irma, Alberta, Friday, March 24, 1950

Places of Voting And D.R.O.'s Two Irma Rinks Approved By Council Ratepayers Meeting at Chauvin On Thursday, March 16

The council of the Municipal District of Wainwright, No. 61, met in the council room of the municipal district on Thursday, March 9, 1950, at 8:00 a.m.

Councillors Dallyn, Castle, Sutherland, Smale, Arthur and Archibald present.

Reeve Sutherland in the chair.

Arthur—That the minutes of February 9, 1950, be accepted as written. Cd.

Dallyn—That the accounts as recommended by the finance committee and subsequent accounts rendered amounting to \$4,408.41 be passed and paid. Cd.

Sutherland—That the statement of receipts and expenditures for the month ending February 28, 1950, be accepted and incorporated in the minutes. Cd.

Archibald—That in adopting the report of the secretary-treasurer of the budget meeting of the Wainwright School Division No. 32 held March 3, 1950, that an advance of \$22,000.00 on the first quarter requisition be made to the school division as this amount is available at the present time. Cd.

Arthur—That the following places of voting and D.R.O.'s for 1950 elections be approved:

- Division 4:
Polling Station 1—Battle Valley School; L. B. Heffern.
Polling Station 2—Prosperity School; J. Gordon, Sr.
Polling Station 3—Pelican School; E. H. Warrington.
Polling Station 4—Roros School; Emil Nysetved.
Polling Station 5—Porter Lake School; Mrs. G. C. Boomhove.
Polling Station 6—Bloomington School; Mrs. C. Tunney.
Division 6:
Polling Station 1—Rathwell's.

Southern Sayings

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson left last Thursday for Edmonton where they will spend a couple of weeks. Mr. Jackson was heard over the ALC program at 12:15 Monday.

Quite a large crowd attended the LOBA dance in Kiefer's Hall last Wednesday. The prizes were won by the following folks:
Door Prizes: Albert Firkus of Jarro, Alta.; Wylie Brown, Kin-sella; Robt. Pilgrim, Wainwright; Spot Prizes: Francis Brown, Kin-sella and Robt. Pilgrim, Wainwright; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Zajic, Wainwright; Better Prior, Irma and Jim Tindell, Fabyan; Eldred Fenton and Glen Pyle, both of Irma. Everyone reported having a wonderful time and hoped there would be another one soon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wiese of Wainwright were visitors in the district Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. H. H. Currie wishes to extend his sincere thanks to friends who so generously remembered him with gifts, cards and letters during his stay in hospital, also to the doctor and nursing staff of the Mannville hospital for their excellent care and attention.

Arena Proposed For Irma And District

Circular Letter to be Distributed Throughout Irma Trading Area

At a meeting of the Irma and District Board of Trade, together with representatives from a number of other local organizations last Tuesday evening, it was decided to take a survey of the district and village to see how much financial backing an arena project would get. This survey was to get underway as soon as a circular letter could be distributed throughout the Irma trading area to outline the suggestions. No decision was reached as to the location but two suggestions were put forth—one being at the location of the present rink—the other being on the present fair grounds.

Capture Atlas Cup

Two rinks from the Irma Curling Club, composed of A. C. Milne skip, E. Jones, I. H. Hardy and D. H. Gunn; C. S. Smallwood skip, M. McLaughlin, V. Torrance and C. Anquet, journeyed to Wainwright recently and brought home the Atlas Lumber Co. Challenge Cup.

This cup was formerly held by Wainwright. Rinks from Chauvin to Irma inclusive may call for challenge games at any time. Two rinks are sent to play 14 end games against two defending rinks. The total number of points of each pair of rinks is tallied up to decide the winners.

In the recent games at Wainwright the C. Smallwood rink was 3 points ahead of the opposing rink while the A. C. Milne rink some had tied its game after 14 ends of play, thus giving Irma a majority of 3 points.

If the weather stays mild the Irma Club may hold the Atlas cup for quite some time.

Easterly Echoes

Mrs. Phil Inklin is in Edmonton for medical treatment. During her absence little Donnie is staying at the home of his uncle, Mr. Bill Inklin.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack McLean, nee Allison Rome, on March 7 at the Wainwright hospital, a daughter.

Mr. Stuart Fenton left Friday for four of his registered herds for the Edmonton Spring Livestock Show and Sale.

Mr. Clarke Steele accompanied him. Mrs. Stuart Fenton and children, Carl and Barbara, left for Edmonton on Tuesday.

At the W.I. 500 party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Dootson, the first prize winners were Mrs. Ralph King and Mr. A. Cioche with the consolation prizes going to Mrs. W. Dootson and Mrs. W. Patterson.

Valda Fenton entertained a number of his friends at his home on the occasion of his recent birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Allen are back again on their farm in the Avonlea district after spending the winter in Wainwright.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Patterson and family motored to Edmonton the first part of the week. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. Dempsey, Mrs. W. Patterson and Mrs. R. Dempsey are attending the District W.I. Conference being held in that city March 21 and 22.

Miss Maureen Dempsey is spending a few days with Mrs. M. Chase in Irma while Ronald Dempsey is visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Pedal.

Mrs. M. Czeperak was a patient in the Wainwright hospital. We wish him a speed recovery.

Kinsella and District News Items

Mr. and Mrs. D. Jackson of Ponoka have spent a holiday recently at the home of Mrs. Jackson's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Barker.

Mr. F. Murray spent a few days in the city last week on business.

The surveyors for the Gas Line have arrived in Kinsella. This is heartening news to the Kinsella people who have waited long and patiently.

A very successful dance was held in the Memorial Hall on Friday evening. The hall was gaily decorated for the occasion with Irish emblems. Novelty dances were featured and many prizes were given. Winners of the raffle were: first prize, Mr. Frank Jewett; second prize, Mrs. M. Pisci; third prize, Mrs. Earl McNall. Winners of the old time waltz were Mr. and Mrs. Coulman of Irma. The members of the W.I. wish to thank all who helped to make the dance such a success and a special thanks to Mrs. Pisci and her pupils for the most effective posters and decorations which they so kindly made.

Farewell Held At Albert School

On the evening of Monday, March 12, a crowd of relatives and friends gathered at Albert school to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Larson and family.

A very enjoyable evening of dancing was held and during the supper hour Mr. Wm. Ramsay presented Mr. and Mrs. Larson with a lovely tri-light. Mr. Larson expressed his family's sincere appreciation for the gift and then the crowd sang "For They are Jolly Good Fellows."

After a few hours more of dancing this enjoyable evening was brought to a close.

The entire district joins in wishing the Larson family the very best of success in their new business in Irma.

Official Opening Of New School On April 3

The official opening of the New Irma School will be held in that building the evening of April 3. There will be a program with special speakers, one being Dr. W. Swift, deputy Minister of Education. Lunch will be served under the direction of Mrs. W. N. Erickson. Interested residents of Irma and district are cordially invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks for the lovely present to J. C. McFarland and staff.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pascha.

EASTER TEA

The Irma Ladies' Aid is holding an Easter Tea in Hedley's hall on Saturday, April 8.

Ladies—Please bring lunch (cake or cookies preferred) for the official opening of the new Irma School on April 3.

In The Legislature

By W. Masson

Hon. D. B. MacMillan, on reporting to the House, stated that the anticipated road program for 1950 would exceed that of any previous year in Alberta's history.

Information was given to the House to show that on a per capita basis Alberta's grant towards education was from two to seven times as great as that of any province with the exception of B.C. and New Brunswick.

Some of the Opposition had suggested that all revenue should be used to reduce taxation. Premier Manning replied to this by stating that there were three reasons why the Government would not follow this practice.

In the first place, he stated, tax rates in Alberta are generally lower than the average for other provinces of Canada. Secondly, the financial position of Albertans is better than usual, and thirdly, the general feeling of the public is that it is more desirable to increase services than to reduce taxation.

Speaking in answer to Mr. Prowse's criticism that 18 millions of dollars of the Provincial revenue is a gift from Ottawa under the Tax Transfer Agreement, Mr. Manning stated that far from such an amount being a gift from the Senior Government, it represented only a rental payment for the Dominion Government's exclusive use of the various tax fields in which they have complete jurisdiction during the life of the Tax Transfer Agreement. He pointed out to the House that the Alberta Government will give serious consideration to the amounts now being allocated by Ottawa in these

tax fields before agreeing to renew the Agreement on the expiration of its present life.

Hon. Mr. Casey told the House that education today employed 9,000 people whose wages exceed twenty million dollars yearly. He stated that Provincial grants to school districts have increased from \$4,307,000 in 1946 to \$7,650,000 this year. This is an increase of 82 per cent in four years. Teachers' pensions will cost the Government more than half a million dollars in 1950.

The House was told that the membership of the FUA as at Jan. 31, 1950, was 4,593. In reporting to the House, Hon. D. A. Ure indicated that there are over a quarter of a million cattle that have been tested for T.B. and every effort is being made to test the entire area between Calgary and Edmonton. District Agriculturists and Home Economists last year contacted 176,000 people in an endeavour to assist farm people with their problems. More than a million trees will be planted in Alberta this year and every effort is being made to increase this quantity as an essential step in controlling soil erosion.

The Resolution was passed in the House requesting the Dominion Government to allow Old Age Pensioners to earn more money than at present without automatically having their pension reduced.

Considerable progress is being made in the passing of the estimates and it is possible that the House might complete its work by the end of the month.

Irma Lodge No. 297 Wins Shield

Mrs. E. W. Carter, Right Worshipful Grand Mistress of the Ladies Orange Lodge of Alberta returned home last Saturday morning from presiding over the 30th annual session held in Calgary March 14, 15 and 16.

Over two hundred members from all parts of Alberta were in attendance and all the reports showed a splendid increase in membership and in contributions to the Alberta Home for Children as well as other benevolent work.

At the close of the session it was found the Irma Lodge, No. 297 had again won the shield for the largest in gifts to the Home per member. R. W. Slater Carter made the presentation to Mrs. E. Fenton of Irma, who was the delegate to the Convention.

Among the gifts and presentations to Mrs. Carter on her retirement was a lovely silver set from the Provincial officers and a gift of money from her own primary lodge at Irma, also her Past Mistress collar.

Northern Nuggets

Mrs. Alf Larson left last Monday to attend the W.I. Conference in Edmonton.

Mr. H. H. Currie arrived home last week from the Mannville hospital where he has been a patient for the past three months. He is looking and feeling remarkably well and his friends are very pleased to have him home again.

Mrs. Charlie Archibald is the Buffalo Coulee W.I. delegate to attend the Cancer School in May. The teacher and pupils at Albert School held a raffle on a box of groceries recently. Mrs. A. J. Fleming was the lucky winner. The proceeds of this raffle were used to buy a radio for the school.

Mrs. John Barnes is a patient in the Mannville hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Frances Bares spent a brief visit with her folks last week-end.

THANKS SUPPORTERS

I wish to thank all those who supported me in the recent election.—K. C. Johnson. 24p

At the Churches

AVONGLEH GOSPEL MISSION
March 26 to 31

Sunday
10:45 a.m.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class.
11:45 a.m.—Morning Worship service.

Tuesday
8 p.m.—Prayer meeting and Bible Study.

"Then opened He their understanding, . . . And said unto them, thus it is written, and thus it behooved Christ to suffer, and to rise from the dead the Third Day; and that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name among all nations, beginning at Jerusalem." Luke 24: 45-47.

You are cordially invited to attend every service.

Rev. R. E. Oswald.

UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, March 26

Strawberry Plains—11 a.m.

Albert—2 p.m.

Irma Sunday School Bible Class—11 a.m.

Worship Service—7:30 p.m.

Luke 13:34. O Jerusalem, Jerusalem that killest the prophets and stonest them that are sent unto her, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her own brood under her wings, and ye would not.

Come and worship on the Lord's Day.—Rev. H. W. Inglis.

ALLIANCE TABERNACLE

Sunday, March 26

10:45—Sunday School and Bible Class.

11:45—Morning Worship.

Wednesday

8 p.m.—Mid-week prayer meeting and Bible Study.

We extend to all a hearty welcome. Pastor Geo. E. Warnock. To believe in the Lord Jesus Christ is to believe that He saves you according to His Word, that He rescues and saves you here and now for He has said "I will in no way cast out."

ST. MARY'S CHURCH NOTES

Service of Holy Communion will be held in St. Mary's Church on Sunday, March 26 at 3:30 p.m.

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Irma Office

Every Thursday from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Appointments to be made at IRMA DRUGS

Preparation For Citizenship

MORE THAN 95,000 REFUGEES have settled in Canada since the movement of displaced persons from Europe commenced, after the war. The International Refugee Organization, which has been in charge of finding new homes for displaced persons, will begin to terminate its activities next June, and it is feared that at that time there may still be some 100,000 refugees without homes. Sir Arthur Rucker, deputy director of the International Refugee Organization visited Canada recently and he commended this country for the part it has played in solving this great post-war problem.

Have Found Homes Here

Displaced persons have found homes in all parts of Canada, and have taken up work on farms, in factories, on construction projects and in many other fields. Among them have been some highly trained men and women who have entered professional life in this country. The present influx of new citizens is the largest which has taken place for many years, and efforts are being made to assist the newcomers to learn the language as quickly as possible and to become familiar with Canada's history, its customs and its institutions. Provincial departments of education and other interested agencies carry on this work, which helps new citizens to become adjusted to the life here, and prepares them to take out Canadian citizenship, which they may do after a period of five years.

Many Booklets Are Sent Out

The Citizenship and Immigration department of the federal government is also taking part in this work, and is assisting provincial departments of education in maintaining classes for new citizens. Booklets have been prepared by the government outlining basic English and French and about 20,000 of these have been distributed to the provinces. In addition, a number of pocket-sized books have been sent to those who live in outlying districts, away from instruction centres. Another booklet "Our Land, Our History, Our Government and Our Resources" has also been prepared and some 25,000 copies have been distributed. New citizens throughout the country are being urged to take advantage of the opportunities offered to them to learn the language and to qualify themselves for citizenship. This positive attitude toward the matter of encouraging newcomers to the country to become responsible citizens is to be commended and should receive the support of all those who are in a position to assist with this work.

Alberta Retains Third Place As Egg Producer

Although national egg production was down 15 per cent. in 1949, Alberta retained its third-place position among producing provinces, a place it also held in 1948. Production figures, in dozens, are as follows:

	1949	1948
P.E.I.	1,997,000	6,072,000
Nova Scotia	1,708,000	12,246,000
New Brunswick	5,224,000	5,043,000
Quebec	26,724,000	67,166,000
Ontario	119,848,000	152,215,000
Manitoba	28,481,000	32,224,000
Saskatchewan	33,328,000	37,325,000
Alberta	28,469,000	32,224,000
British Columbia	28,732,000	33,830,000
National Totals	330,374,000	388,579,000

Record Highways Program Planned

EDMONTON.—Road building in Alberta this year will surpass all existing records according to budget figures issued. The estimate for main highway construction, capital and income account, is \$13,705,000, a \$3,000,000 increase over last year. This does not include the \$2,000,000 proposed for construction of the Trans-Canada Highway nor does it include about \$5,500,000 in grants for road construction to municipalities and improvement districts. The large main highway construction figure compares nearly half of the public works department estimated expenditures, in capital and income account, of \$30,505,893. This one department's expected expenditures make up the lion's share of the provincial budget.

Jobs Asked For Men Over 45

VICTORIA.—Amendments to the Civil Service Act to give men over 45, and women over 40 the right to take government jobs was asked by Don Brown (Coalition, Vancouver-Burrard) in the Legislature. "It is tough treatment when businessmen and politicians tell breadwinners they are not wanted when they have reached 45," declared Mr. Brown. "If they cannot get work, they will have to be looked after at the terrific expense of government and society as a whole."

Eggs Flown To Hong Kong


VANCOUVER.—Three hundred fertile eggs were recently shipped by air from Vancouver to a company in Hong Kong, which has expressed a desire to establish a Canadian pedigree strain in its flock of poultry.

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IT HAS?
HE EVEN TRIED GIVING AWAY FREE DISHES. BUT THAT MADE IT WORSE!
YEP! IT JUST REMINDED FOLK OF HOW MANY DIRTY DISHES WOULD HAVE TO BE WASHED. AND TOO MANY CHANGED THEIR MINDS!

Demonstrating Their Skill



Longtime champion of the prowess of Border Collies as sheep dogs, here are three of Bill Martin's sheep dogs from Maple Creek, Sask., giving a demonstration of their skill.

Displays Her Kill



Daisy Minter, of Foam Lake, Sask., displays her kill, a skunk. This skunk, with another killed 19 turkey poult and nine ducklings, between them.

FUNNY And OTHERWISE

Black—"What did her father advise when you told him you loved his daughter, but only had a hundred dollars saved up?"
White—"He advised me to invest it all in a one-way railway ticket with no stop-overs!"

Vicar: "Ah, you have a son in Hollywood. Does he ever come home?"
Old Resident: "He's been home every summer for five years."

Vicar: "And did he bring his wife with him?"
Old Resident: "That he did, sir. And five smart girls they were."

"I doubt if your eyes are strong enough to get you a driver's license," said the optician. "Sit here and tell me how many letters you can read on the number plate of that car outside."

"What car?" said the would-be motorist.
"You ought to get married."

"I have wished many times lately that I had a wife. She'd probably have a sewing machine, and the sewing machine would have an oil can, and I could take it and oil my office door. It squeaks."

A woman seeking U.S. citizenship papers did all right with the examination until she came to a question about the flag. To the query, "What flies over the state house in Boston?" she replied: "Pigeons."

The fishmonger was trying to persuade a woman customer to buy a whale steak, but her reluctance was difficult to overcome.
"Ah, well," she said at last, with a twinkle in her eye. "I'll take it if I can have the head for the cat."

Traffic Officer: "Hey! What's the idea? Didn't you hear me whistle to you?"
Girl Motorist: "Certainly I did, and if you try again I'll report you."

Haughty Stranger (to navy): "Which is the quickest way to the hospital, my man?"
Navy: "Poke me in the back with that walking stick, and you'll find yourself there in no time."

PLENTY OF WEIGHT
Thirty-two hundred pounds of curling rocks, valued at \$5,000 was used at the Macdonald-Brier Tankard competition held at Vancouver. 2872

Spring Floods Not Expected In Manitoba


WINNIPEG.—Manitoba this spring should be free from serious floods comparable to those of 1948, providing precipitation through March and April is normal and average break-up conditions prevail.

This prediction, based on conditions existing as at March 1, 1950, comes from the water resources division of the development services branch of the dominion department of resources and development.

The analysis emphasizes that any variations, either favorable or unfavorable, from normal break-up conditions could change the forecast materially.

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Mix and sift twice, then sift into a bowl, 2½ c. once-sifted pastry flour (or 2¼ c. once-sifted hard-wheat flour), 2 tps. Magic Baking Powder, ½ tsp. baking soda, 1½ tps. salt, ¾ tsp. ground mace. Mix in ¾ c. lightly-packed brown sugar, ¾ c. rolled oats and 1 c. broken walnuts. Combine 1 well-beaten egg, 1 c. buttermilk, 2 tps. grated orange rind, 1 tsp. vanilla and 5 tbs. the shortening, melted. Make a well in dry ingredients and add liquids; mix lightly. Turn into a loaf pan (4½" x 8½") which has been greased and lined with greased paper. Bake in a rather slow oven, 325°, about 1 hour. Serve cold, thinly sliced and lightly buttered.



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2 strips bacon
2 slices Spanish Onion (½ inch thick)
1 tablespoon chopped parsley
3 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons onion juice
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
1 tablespoon water
Lay onion in buttered shallow baking dish. Pour over 2 tablespoons melted butter, sprinkle with salt and pepper, cover closely, bake until tender (about 30 minutes) in moderate oven (350 deg. F.).
Cook patty in rest of butter and add to beef, suet crumbs, and seasonings. Mold into 7 flat cakes and wrap each with a slice of bacon. Place each on an onion slice in baking dish and cook in broiling oven 5 minutes on each side. Baste twice.

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THE SPUR

By HAROLD HELFER

A COUNTRY doctor gets to know something about everything but sometimes he realizes he doesn't know too much about anything. For instance, take my case of Jennie Wentworth. Jennie looked like she was going. Not that there was anything especially wrong with her. It was mostly an accumulation of little things, a little heart trouble, a little too much blood pressure, a little arthritis. And it was all a little puzzling.

I mean it was all right for Jennie to take to bed and rest up for a while, but she shouldn't have been wasting away so. She was getting weaker every time I saw her. It didn't look good.

When Sam Wentworth asked me about his wife, I said, "Mostly old-age-itis. But maybe there's a scientific expression—lethargy. She doesn't seem to have the will to snap out of it. Has she had any emotional upsets?"

"Not that I know of," Sam said. "Of course, she did feel blue when Ethel, our youngest, got married and moved away. All our kids have scattered to the four winds. They pay us a visit every now and then but Jennie says the house isn't like it was when it was full."

"She needs an incentive," I remarked. "I tried cheering Jennie up every way I knew, even got her a new radio so she could hear the programs better and I've subscribed to more magazines for her. But I guess a home without young 'uns just ain't the same."

Then Sam said, "How bad off is Jennie?"

"Frankly, I don't like it, Sam," I replied. "I don't like to snap out of the patient isn't fighting with you. I could have said that I wouldn't

have been surprised if Jennie didn't last very long, but I'd been honest enough with Sam and I didn't see where any good purpose would be served.

Next time I called I saw his young nurse, Naomi Scott. She had red hair and was right trim-looking. I was a little surprised because I wasn't giving Jennie any special treatment and Sam was around to attend to all her bed wants, but still I didn't think too much about it one way or the other. Maybe Sam figured some young blood in the house would cheer up his wife.

It was two or three days later that I began to hear the rumors. Have you heard about Sam Wentworth, at his age, mind you, carrying on with that young, red-headed nurse and right under his ailing wife's nose too?

Well, I didn't pay too much attention. It's the sort of thing that's not a physician's business. Besides, Sam and Jennie always had been devoted.

Then I began to see for myself. It was almost out in the open, it was so brazen. The old fool would whisper something in the nurse's ear and they'd giggle together. He was always finding some excuse to smuggle up to her closer than was necessary. And the drooling way he looked at her!

But it wasn't my business to say anything, of course. Especially since Jennie seemed to be perking up.

It was really on the remarkable side, Jennie's change. I never had a patient that sent the pendulum swinging the other way so suddenly.

In two weeks Jennie was out of bed and around and about, as hale and hearty as anyone her age and spryer than some ten years younger. Something like a week later, I ran into Sam at the soda fountain of Mac Gibson's drug store. He moved over to the next stool and said cheerfully, "Well, doc, I don't know that I ever thanked you properly for pulling Jennie through—if not, I do hereby make such pronouncement."

I guess we're all moralists under the skin. So I said, "You didn't seem worried too much when that nurse was around."

"Oh, that," Sam grinned. "Now, doc, you don't really think I was doing any sparking? Red-hairs just ain't my type. It's the gray heads, with a touch of snow white, sort of like Jennie, that's more my speed. I know there's been some talk around

Canadian Curling Champions



The above is a picture of Canada's curling champions in a victory pose. Tom Ramsay, skip of the winning Northern Ontario rink of Kirkland Lake, Ont., won the MacDonald's Brier Tankard for Northern Ontario at Vancouver. From left to right: Tom Ramsay, skip, whose everyday occupation is a mine safety director; Carl Williamson, third, a mill superintendent; Bill Weston, second, an accountant; Bill Kenny, lead, a machinist. This is the first year the rink had curled together.

Oil Company To Build Pipeline From Redwater To Edmonton

Construction will commence this summer on a crude oil pipeline from the Redwater oil field to Edmonton, Alta., British American Oil Co. announced. The new line, to be completed before end of 1950, will have a daily capacity of 10,000 barrels.

The pipeline will connect with B-A's present gathering system to provide direct pipeline transportation from Redwater wells to the new B-A refinery in Edmonton which will be completed early in 1951. Facilities will be provided at Edmonton for loading oil into tank cars for shipment to the B-A refinery at Calgary. —Financial Post.

90 British Parents To Visit Daughters

LIVERPOOL.—A party of 90 British parents, mostly mothers, recently embarked on the Franconia for Halifax and New York to visit their war-bride daughters in Canada and the United States. They are members of the United States and Canadian British Parents' association, "formed a year ago to raise money for the trip. The main thing is that Jennie's better."

I looked my head. "You yourself, doc, said Jennie needed incentive," Sam twinged. "What about her thinking that if she doesn't someone else may get her old man?"

I paid for the sodas. (Copyright Western Newspaper Syndicate)

NEW SCHOOL PLANNED
CHURCHILL, Man.—An 11-room school providing for primary and secondary education of children at Port Churchill will be under construction shortly, according to an announcement by Maj. J. B. Allan, camp commandant.

A date palm may bear fruit for about 200 years.

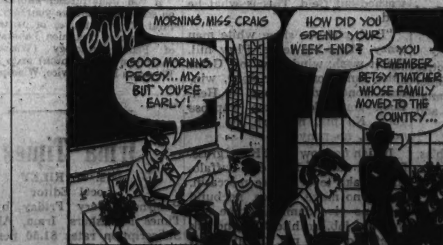
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ALBERTA'S COAL PRODUCTION UP

EDMONTON.—Alberta's 1949 coal production of 6,616,983 tons was valued at \$44,541,538 and was 505,970 tons over the previous year, John Crawford, director of mines, stated in a report to the legislature. November production hit an all-time high of more than one million tons. Last year railways bought 5,012,425 tons. Other provinces purchased 2,941,454 tons, and Albertans used 1,614,306 tons.

EGG ODDITY
LAKE COWICHAN, B.C.—Mrs. H. V. Marwood recently found an egg in an egg in a hen house. The oddity is a normal egg within a thin, flexible-shelled one.

BOATS TO START MAY 6
EDMONTON.—The 1950 navigation season of Northern Transportation Co. boats will begin May 6 at Watertown, Alta., extending until Sept. 20 inland boat service points as far north as Aklavik, N.W.T.

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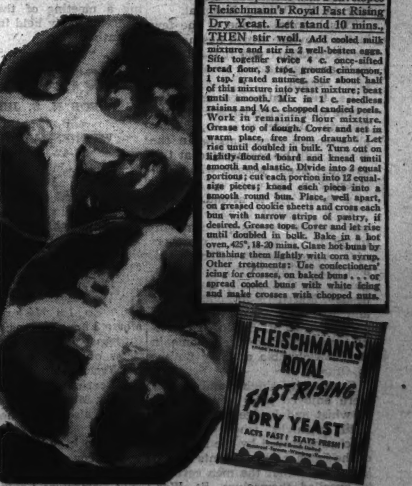
OTTAWA.—Canada's wheat exports under the terms of the International Wheat Agreement in the next few years may be stepped up from 203,000,000 bushels a year to 230,000,000. Trade Minister Howe disclosed to the commons that this step-up may result from Canada's decision to favor the inclusion of Japan and Germany as new importing members of the multi-nation wheat pact.

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Scald 1 1/2 c. milk, 1/4 c. granulated sugar, 2 tps. salt and 5 lbs. shortening; stir in 1 c. crisp breakfast-bran cereal and cool to lukewarm. Meanwhile, measure into a large bowl 1/2 c. lukewarm water, 2 tps. granulated sugar, 1 tps. salt and 1 envelope Fleischmann's Royal Fast Rising Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 min. THEN stir well. Add cooled milk mixture and stir in well-beaten eggs. Stir together twice 4 c. once-sifted bread flour, 3 tps. ground cinnamon, 1 tsp. grated nutmeg. Stir about half of this mixture into yeast mixture; beat until smooth. Mix in 1 c. seedless raisins and 1/2 c. chopped candied peel. Work in remaining flour mixture. Grease top of dough. Cover and set in warm place, free from draught. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Turn out on lightly-floured board and knead until smooth and elastic. Divide into 12 equal portions; cut each portion into 12 equal-size pieces; knead each piece into a smooth round bun. Place, well apart, on greased cookie sheet and cross each bun with narrow strips of pastry, if desired. Grease tops. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in a hot oven, 425°, 18-20 min. Glaze hot buns by brushing them lightly with cream syrup. Other treatments: Use condensed milk for glaze, or baked buns... or spread cooled buns with white icing and make crosses with chopped nuts.



—By Chuck Thurston

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Viking Items

In the election in Division No. 1 of MD Beaver No. 72 held last Saturday, Mr. J. P. Rozmahel was successful at the polls. He replaces Mr. Henry Owens, who resigned after over thirty years in public service. Mr. Moore was returned as councillor for Division 7 in Beaver M.D.

On March 13, Thomas Bruha, nephew of Rudolf Bruha, proprietor of the Viking Cafe, and his friend Josef Volf, arrived in Viking to make their future home in Canada. The situation in Czechoslovakia was such that they were obliged to leave their homes and spent eleven months in I.R.O. camps in the U.S. zone in Germany until passage to Canada was arranged for them. They are greatly impressed with Canada and marvel at the abundance of materials and food here, also at the freedom that is enjoyed by Canadians. They are young men and well educated in their own language and should make good citizens. We understand that they will be employed on local farms for the present.

At twelve o'clock midnight last Friday evening Mrs. Hazel McLaren was awarded the Plymouth club by holding the lucky ticket (No. 335) which was drawn from a specially conducted drum that revolved until stopped for the draw. A large crowd was in attendance from all parts of the district and Mrs. McLaren was cheered as she accepted the car from promoter Laurie Rasmussen on behalf of the senior hockey club that sponsored the event.

707 donations of five dollars each were received from the sale of tickets towards funds for the proposed arena. Mr. Rasmussen expresses his thanks for the support given this enterprise.

Good Supporter

Mrs. McLaren has been a constant booster for the hockey club in many ways by supplying transportation and other services whenever called upon. Her son Claude McLaren has been an outstanding member of the team for several seasons.

A brief financial statement of the receipts of the sale of tickets is as follows:

707 tickets sold at \$5 \$3535.00
Donation \$100

Cost of car and promotion expenses \$2173.38

To the Arena Fund \$1362.62
Stubs checked and counted by committee: S. Pfaf, C. Hilliker, W. Comisarow and L. J. Rasmussen.

A meeting will be held in the United Church Hall at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, March 28, for the purpose of forming a Women's Auxiliary to the Viking Hospital.

This hospital is one of the few in the Province which has no Women's Auxiliary and it is felt that such an organization would be of great benefit.

As this matter concerns the whole of the area covered by the Hospital District it is hoped that all women's organizations in the district will be represented at this meeting. Every woman who is interested in the work of the hospital is invited to attend.

As a farewell to two families who will be leaving our community in the near future, members of Connaught Lodge A.F. and A.M. and their wives held a social evening in the Community Hall, Wednesday, March 15, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith. The Atkinsons will make their home in British Columbia and the Smiths in Ontario.

Community singing and movies were enjoyed after which tables of whisky and bridge were played until midnight when a buffet lunch was served by the members of the lodge, and comments by the ladies were that the men certainly excelled themselves. Rt. Wor. Bro. H. Rollins expressed the regrets of the lodge in losing two valued members but wished them well in their new homes. Wor. Bro. George Cottrell presented Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Atkinson with bouquets of American beauty roses, and Mr. Smith and Mr. Atkinson with gold pen knives with the emblem of the lodge engraved thereon. Appreciation for the remembrances and social evening were suitably expressed by the recipients.

Mr. Smith expects to retire from the Bank of Montreal as local branch manager, and Mr. Atkinson, who has served as secretary-treasurer of the village for several years, is taking up new employment in B.C.

The new councillor in Division 3 of MD of Minburn is Mr. W. D. "Bill" Johnston of Kinsella district who was successful at the polls held in that Division last Saturday. Mr. Johnston replaces Mr. Wm. Revill who resigned after being re-elected to the MD was formed. "Bill" is also a member of the Viking Municipal Hospital Board and we hope he has a happy time in his public duties.

This community was shocked to hear of the sudden passing of Mr. David Thomas Jeffrey Scott who passed away suddenly at Tofield on Sunday, March 19, at the age of fifty years. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, March 23, at 3:30 p.m. from Andrews-McLaughlin funeral chapel and interment will take place in the Beachmount cemetery. Rev. E.N.P. Orme will officiate.

The late Mr. David Scott is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. E. A. Townsend of Tofield, one brother, W. B. Scott of Glasgow, and one sister, Mrs. H. McIlroy, also of Glasgow, Scotland, and two grandchildren.

He was a veteran of world wars 1 and 2 and has been an employee of Northwestern Utilities Ltd., Viking Gas Camp since his return from overseas.

There is quite an agitation to have sweepstakes legalized in Canada. Quebec and B.C. are asking that sweepstakes be allowed for hospital and welfare purposes and the Edmonton Legion branch is asking the same for veterans' benefit. Alberta citizens spent in the neighborhood of \$20,000,000.00 for liquor last year, and other half a million dollars on horse races which was of little benefit to the individual but brought revenue to the government. There are no doubt pros and cons for sweepstakes which cannot be said for the immense amount spent for liquor and part mutuels and the "skin" games that are allowed at the large exhibitions and fairs where the chances are practically nil in receiving anything for your money. There are draws and raffles going on all over the country for this and that purpose and funds have been raised in this manner for worthy efforts. It seems to us that several million could be raised in this province for worthy causes each year without harm to the individual by holding government regulated 'sweeps' two or three times a year and at the same time some people would win enough to keep them out of the 'red' for the rest of their lives.

It is possible that by holding legalized sweepstakes people would spend less for liquor and be better off for it. Less accidents, less broken homes, less grief and more money to spend on the necessities of life. Think it over.

H. Rollins was a visitor in Edmonton the first of the week. Mrs. Rollins is returning from attending a meeting of the Provincial Cancer Society held in Lethbridge recently.

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Mc-Deering W.K. 40, on rubber wheels; Minneapolis 25 on rubber wheels; also steel wheels; Rumley 20-40.

Livestock and Poultry

4 milk cows; 9 calves; Shorthorn Bull; Team of young Horses; 71 New Hampshire Laying Hens.

Harness

2 sets Breaching Harness; Set of Breast Harness; Light Harness; 2 Saddles.

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1 volt Windcharger; Electric Plant, 32 volt, 1500 Watt; Steel Drums, all sizes; 10' Water Tank; Full line of Blacksmith Tools, and numerous other items.

Household Goods

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L. J. Rasmussen, Clerk.

Notice

MD of Flagstaff No. 62

Sealed tenders will be received on any of the following parcels of land owned by the MD of Flagstaff, same to be in the hands of the Secretary-Treasurer not later than April 4, 1950, letters must be marked "Land Tender."

NW 10-40-10-4 160 Acres.
NW 20-40-10-4 150 Acres.
SE 22-40-10-4 114.2 Acres.
SW 22-40-10-4 92.5 Acres.
SW 24-40-10-4 97.7 Acres.
NW 24-40-10-4 160 Acres.
SE 26-40-10-4 160 Acres.
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SE 26-40-10-4 160 Acres.
SW 36-40-10-4 160 Acres.
NW 36-40-10-4 160 Acres.
SE 36-40-10-4 160 Acres.
SW 36-40-10-4 160 Acres.
NE 36-40-10-4 160 Acres.
SE 4-41-10-4 153 Acres.
SE 12-41-10-4 160 Acres.
NE 12-41-10-4 159 Acres.
NE 35-41-10-4 160 Acres.
NE 36-41-10-4 58 Acres.

(West of River)
NW 36-41-10-4 157 Acres.
SW 1-42-10-4 118 Acres.
SE 2-42-10-4 158 Acres.
NE 2-42-10-4 114.2 Acres.
NW 10-42-10-4 159 Acres.
SW 11-42-10-4 158 Acres.
NW 11-42-10-4 156 Acres.
NE 12-42-10-4 151 Acres.
NW 14-42-10-4 159 Acres.
NE 14-42-10-4 159 Acres.
NW 14-42-10-4 178 Acres.
SE 34-42-10-4 153 Acres.
NW 34-42-10-4 181 Acres.
NE 2-43-10-4 113.6 Acres.
NE 2-43-10-4 155.9 Acres.
SW 12-43-10-4 138.7 Acres.
NW 12-43-10-4 140.4 Acres.
NE 12-43-10-4 155 Acres.
NW 35-43-10-4 160 Acres.
NE 36-43-10-4 160 Acres.
NW 2-44-10-4 160 Acres.
NE 2-44-10-4 160 Acres.
NW 12-44-10-4 160 Acres.
SE 13-44-10-4 160 Acres.
NE 13-44-10-4 160 Acres.
NW 36-45-10-4 160 Acres.
SW 6-46-10-4 114.4 Acres.
NW 12-46-10-4 160 Acres.
NW 24-46-10-4 159 Acres.
SE 36-46-10-4 159 Acres.
PT. NW 6-39-11-4 16.8 Acres.
SE 18-39-11-4 94.1 Acres.

NW 18-39-11-4 161 Acres.
NE 18-39-11-4 161 Acres.
SE 20-39-11-4 64.1 Acres.
NE 20-39-11-4 110.9 Acres.
SW 20-39-11-4 47 Acres.
NW 23-11-4 106.6 Acres.
SE 2-41-11-4 158.7 Acres.
NE 5-41-11-4 160 Acres.
NE 10-41-11-4 95.5 Acres.
NE 2-39-12-4 124 Acres.
SE 10-39-12-4 136.2 Acres.
NW 10-39-12-4 470.1 Acres.
SW 10-39-12-4 641 Acres.
NW 15-39-12-4 158 Acres.
SE 22-39-12-4 161 Acres.
SE 22-40-12-4 160 Acres.
SE 26-40-12-4 160 Acres.
SE 30-43-12-4 160 Acres.
NE 30-43-12-4 160 Acres.
SW 2-44-12-4 144.2 Acres.
SE 3-44-12-4 163 Acres.
NE 14-44-12-4 160 Acres.
SW 27-44-12-4 160 Acres.
NE 27-44-12-4 159 Acres.
SE 32-44-12-4 160 Acres.
SE 32-40-13-4 160 Acres.
SW 6-41-13-4 160 Acres.
NW 10-42-13-4 160 Acres.
PT. SW 30-40-14-4 64.3 Acres.
SW 7-41-14-4 160 Acres.
NW 7-41-14-4 160 Acres.

TERMS: Cash subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs. Any or highest tender not necessarily accepted.

Jas. L. Smith, Sec. Treas.

MD Flagstaff, Sedgewick, Alta.

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AS OTHERS SEE US

A Cherokee Indian won the first prize offered by The Farmer-Stockman for the reader who would write the best comment on two pictures, one of a dilapidated deserted house and the other a washed-out field. This is what he said:

"Both pictures show white man crazy. Make big tepee. Plow hill. Water wash, wind blow soil. Grass gone, land gone, door gone, wind gone, whole gone to Hell. Buck gone. Squaw too. Papoose gone. No pig, no corn, no cow, no hay, no pony."

Indian no plow land. Keep grass. Buffalo eat. Indian eat buffalo. Hide make tepee, make moccasins. Indian no make terrace, no build dam; no give dam. All time eat. No hunt job, no hitchhike, no ask relief. No shoot pig. Great Spirit make grass. Indian no waste anything. Indian no work. White man heap loco."



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The Grasshopper Menace of 1950
The reliable grasshopper surveys made by entomologists of the Dominion Department of Agriculture indicate that one of the worst grasshopper invasions since the 1930's may occur in Western Canada in 1950.

Cultural Methods Important—Owing to the fact that there are very heavy infestations of grasshoppers, stubble, corn, and other crops should not be sown in 1950. They should be summerfallowed. Early surface cultivation of all infested crop land is strongly recommended. Early seeding is also advisable. Guard and trap strips should be used on all summerfallow land. These should be treated early and frequently with poison bait or sprayed or dusted with such chemicals as Chlordane, Aldrin or Toxaphene. Because of the outstanding results obtained during 1949, Chlordane and other chemical sprays and dusts will be widely used in 1950. It must be remembered, however, that the first line of defence in any successful grasshopper control program is the use of efficient cultural practices.

Community Action Needed—In 1950, grasshopper control, regardless of the cultural and chemical methods used, will be most effective if all provincial and municipal officials, farmers, grain buyers and others co-operate in destroying threatening infestations of grasshoppers wherever they are found. The first responsibility of farmers, however, is to keep the grasshoppers on their own farms strictly under control. No effort must be spared in confining these winged pests to non-cropped land and from spreading to grain crops.

Consult your local Agricultural Representative, Municipal Grasshopper Supervisor, or nearest Dominion Extension laboratory for more detailed information on the latest and best grasshopper control measures.

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Stop Smut — Treat Your Seed

Seed treatment of grain crops for the control of smut is a practice that is adding hundreds of thousands of dollars annually to the pockets of western farmers.

Treatment Needed. There are two important reasons why seed treatment should be widely used in 1950. First, the seed-borne smut, which can be easily controlled by seed treatment, are still very prevalent in this country and causing heavy losses annually. Second, owing to the occurrence of frost, drought, and poor harvesting conditions, much of the seed grain that was produced in many districts of Western Canada in 1949 will germinate poorly, yes, very poorly, in 1950. Such seed needs to be protected against soil-borne organisms that cause seed decay and seedling blights. Seed treatment will perform two important functions—it will disinfect and protect the seed.

Treatment Methods. Today, the seed disinfectants (chemicals) recommended for treating wheat, oats, and barley for smut control are Ceresan M, Leytosa and Panogen. Panogen, a liquid treatment, is a new seed treatment for wheat, oats, and barley for smut control. When used in the dust form, Ceresan M or Leytosa should be applied to wheat, oats and barley at the rate of 1/2 oz. per bushel of seed. It is best, however, to treat seed of oats and barley at least 7 days before it is sown. If seed grain is dry it may be treated 30 to 90 days before sowing without injury to germination. Such treated seed must, however, be stored in a very well ventilated place. It must be remembered that the above treatments will not control loose smut of wheat and true loose smut of barley. The only satisfactory seed treatment for these smuts is the "Hot Water Treatment."

If you want further information on seed treatment see your Agricultural Representative, or write to your nearest Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology (Winnipeg, Saskatoon or Edmonton) or to Line Elevators Farm Service, Winnipeg.

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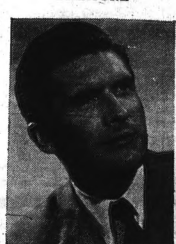
The council asks that all residents and the travelling public co-operate with the Municipal District in observing the Road Ban on District Highways and Local Roads that will come into effect very soon, and urges all truckers to govern their hauling commitments accordingly.

With so much snow in the district, road conditions will be very bad during the break-up, and the road ban will be strictly enforced to save the ratepayers the cost of damage done by heavy traffic during the period.

Your consideration in this matter will be appreciated.

CHARLES WILBRAHAM,
Secretary-Treasurer,
M.D. of Wainwright, No. 61,
241c Wainwright, Alta.

BARITONE



Edmund Hockridge, baritone, who will be heard on the CBC Opera Company's production of Fidelio on March 27. His regular programs include Edmund Hockridge Sings on Mondays on Trans-Canada and Comrades in Arms on Wednesdays on the CBC Dominion network.

Voting and D.R.O.'s

(Continued from Front Page)

Clarence Haldenby of Chauvin for the sum of three hundred and twenty dollars cash presented.

By-law 277 passed its first, second and third and final readings.

Secretary return the application of E. Courchesne and Sons with cheques as the NW 14 and SE 24-42-1-4 have been sold to higher bidders.

By-law 278 concerning the leasing of certain lands, Section 217 M.D. Act, presented.

By-law 278 passed its first and second readings.

Sutherland—That By-law 278 pass its third and final reading and that the list of parcels leased as contained in said By-law be also listed in the minute book. Cd.

Archibald—That the municipal district handle the A.M.D. 2-4-D Ester and Amine products in 5-gal. containers only, on the cash with order method, cost of same to be as per prices submitted by the Municipal Association. Cd.

Smale—That a claimant order be placed against the W 1/2 25-49-4-4, property of Mrs. Carle Haddie, and that this land be leased to Frank Tipler subject to the conditions and provisions of Sections 13 and 14 of the Agricultural Service Board Act. Cd.

The field supervisor was instructed to place a Stop Seeding Notice on the N.W. 21-44-5-4 and advise the Department of Lands and Forests prior to March 21, 1950.

Smale—That a meeting of the Agricultural Service Board be held at the Municipal office, Wainwright on Saturday, March 25, 1950 at 2:00 p.m. Cd.

Sutherland—That the chairman of the Agricultural Service Board and the field supervisor attend the Service Board conference being held in Edmonton March 28 and 29, 1950. Cd.

Archibald—That the Agricultural Building be made available to Dr. Saville, V.S., every Saturday afternoon for veterinary consultation.

tions. Cd.
Arthur—That F. C. Weise be employed to handle the warble fly spraying at the same price and charges as in former years, details to be supplied by the field supervisor. Cd.

Sutherland—That the National Film Board be advised that the council does not wish to renew the contract for the National Film Circuit in this district, dated April 27, 1949, which expires March 31, 1950. Cd.

Mr. J. S. Roblee, district agrilicist, interviewed the council regarding T.B. and Bangs Disease and other agricultural matters, his attendance was appreciated by the council.

Castle—That the report of the field supervisor from February 11 to March 4, 1950, be accepted and filed with his records. Cd.

Archibald—That the correspondence from L. C. Adamson as to condition and building of roads in Township 46, Range 9, be received and the secretary advise Mr. Adamson that he is cordially invited to attend the council meeting at Ross school in the spring, the date of which will be advertised. Cd.

Sutherland—That councillors Dallyn, Castle and Archibald make enquiries as to the housing of motor graders and snow plow units at Ribstone, Edmonton and Irma and report at April 3 meeting. Cd.

Arthur—That the council going to the ratepayers meeting at Chauvin call at Ribstone to look over the matter referred to by Mr. Dallyn for a building to house the motor grader and snow plow unit. Cd.

Archibald—That the reeve and Councillor Arthur be a committee with power to act to purchase an oxygen-acetylene welding machine for use at the municipal garage, a price and choice to suit their operators and council. Cd.

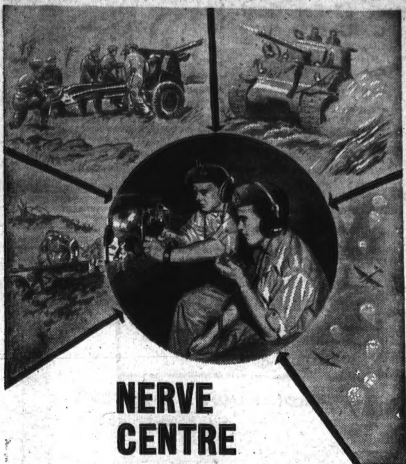
Castle—That the pay sheets amounting to \$3,886.36 be passed and paid when signed by the councillors concerned. Cd.

No more business on hand.

Castle—That the meeting adjourn. Cd.

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News Concerning Pipe Line

Although main construction of a crude oil pipe line between Edmonton and the Great Lakes will not start until May, more than 2,000 Western Canadian farm land owners have felt a peculiarly personal interest in the project for several months.

They are the men and women who hold title to lands through which the pipe line will pass in bridging the transportation gap between Alberta crude oil producers and the refineries of Eastern Canada. Since last fall they have been completing contracts, without which the pipe line would not be possible.

Interprovincial Pipe Line Company announced today that the process of obtaining the necessary legal authority for construction through those lands is now entering its final phase. Signing of final easements by individual land owners has started with completion expected in a few weeks. This will end one of the more complicated and tedious operations in the pipeline's pre-construction stage.

More than 2,100 tracts of land will be affected by the pipe line, as it crosses Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, before continuing its southeastward direction through the United States to Superior, Wis. In most cases the tracts are quarter-section farms. The owner may not live on his own land. A tenant may work the farm while the owner lives in Ontario, California or England. Ownership may be tied up in a complicated estate. But on every land tract, written, legal authority is being obtained by Interprovincial before pipe line construction takes place.

This involves person-to-person negotiations between pipe line land agents and farmers, absentee owners, estate executors, etc. It involves detailed explanations to owners on the method of pipe line construction, its effect on the land, the terms of construction inconvenience, how compensation for damage and easement payments are made, and an outline of likely benefits to the Canadian economy of this new outlet for steadily-increasing western crude oil production.

Pipe line agents have been at this task for months. The landowner first was asked to sign an option for an easement. This, in effect, was the owner's authority for the pipe line company to cross his land. In the phase now underway, the owner is asked to sign the easement itself. This is a document which will be registered in the land titles office.

With signing of the easement, the owner receives payment for the total acreage involved in the 60-foot-wide right-of-way across his field. This is calculated at the current per acre market value of his land. The market value varies considerably along the 790 miles of right-of-way within the prairie provinces. Cultivated land, naturally, commands a better price than brushland. The lands' proximity to settled communities, soil type and other factors influence the market value. Also considered was the fact that as a trunk line, the pipe will not be dug up for re-routing or other reason periodically. It will remain a fixed underground installation, causing no permanent inconvenience to the farmer.

Whatever the price received, the owner does not sell any portion of his land. If the pipe line company has an interest of two or three acres in a quarter section by virtue of the easement, the owner still may sell the full 160 acres if he wishes—always subject to the easement. The farmer on the land still may work the full 160 acres after the line is buried.

Damages to crops, fences, timber or livestock will be paid. In the case of fences, the construction contractor will replace those damaged in at least as good condition as when they were cut or otherwise damaged. Settlements for damages done will be made after construction is completed, when the value can be assessed accurately. Damage payments will be in addition to amounts received for signing of easements.

Any inconvenience to the landowner will be temporary. In most cases it will be only a week or so between the time the construction crews dig the trench, lower the welded line into place and cover it with soil. Debris and cut brush will be removed. The trench will

be about 30 inches wide, so normal farm operations can proceed over the right-of-way immediately after the final clean-up.

Actual construction is scheduled to start in May. An advance party which will cut fences and install gates, will be followed by truck crews stringing the pipe along the right-of-way. They will be followed by the ditching equipment and behind them will come welding and laying crews. Then will come the machine to tar and wrap the line before it is lowered into the ditch. The ditch will be backfilled and in the case of cultivated land, will be tamped and left level; on uncultivated land, a small crown will be left to take care of any subsidence.

Most of the 2,000 owners affected in Canada—more than one-half of them in Saskatchewan—have agreed readily to the pipe line's construction through their fields. They have accepted the view that the line is of national importance and that operating as a common carrier it will benefit Canadians as a whole. As a result, they have co-operated to the fullest extent in reaching amicable settlement with the pipe line company.

Labor Congresses To Aid Red Cross

OTTAWA, March 9—Workers of the two great labor congresses of Canada today were urged to support the March appeal of the Canadian Red Cross Society for \$5,000,000, by both presidents of their organizations.

President A. R. Mosher, Canadian Congress of Labor, and President Percy R. Bengough, The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, gave unqualified endorsement to the campaign.

"I call upon all officers and members affiliated with The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada to support the 1950 drive of the Canadian Red Cross," said Mr. Bengough.

"The work of the Canadian Red Cross in rendering assistance to veterans in hospital, the extension and maintenance of Outpost Hospitals and Nursing Stations, the expansion and organization of Disaster Services which functioned so well in the B.C. floods and the Noronic Disaster as well as the free national Blood Transfusion Service are all services that cannot be allowed to be discontinued."

No organization, Mr. Mosher declared, is more alert to help in cases of communal suffering, and few organizations have been able to obtain so many voluntary helpers.

"The reason for this is that every one associated with Red Cross appreciates the importance of the work which it is doing, and the satisfaction which comes from devoted service to those in need of help."

Educational activities stressed by the Congress leaders included Red Cross classes in First Aid and Home Nursing and Junior Red Cross, "largest youth organization in the world."

"I have no hesitation in urging members of the Canadian Congress of Labor unions, as well as the Canadian public, to provide for the work of the Red Cross the objective of \$5,000,000 which it needs for the current year."

B.C. MEMBER URGES HOSPITAL "SWEEPS"

VICTORIA, B.C., (CP)—Sweepstakes for hospitals were urged in the British Columbia legislature Friday by Tom Uphill, Labor, Fernie.

The need for more hospitals today is greater, he said, while B.C. had the hospital insurance scheme there are fewer beds and more patients are clamoring for admission. But the government refuses to face the facts, he charged.

The veteran member told members he remembered when social service costs were but a few millions. Now they were \$30,000,000 and going up yearly. He said he wondered what the government would do when business tapered off in a few years.

He suggested operation of two or three sweepstakes a year.



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OTTAWA—Canada is developing a jet-powered railway engine and "thinking about" building jet automobile engines, a government scientist disclosed.

Dr. D. C. MacPhail, head of the National Research Council's super-sonics and gas dynamics section, said a government-sponsored project to build a gas turbine engine for a locomotive "has progressed slightly beyond the paper stage."

Considerable work on the car engines already had taken place at McGill University in Montreal and McGill shortly would produce a small turbine that could ultimately replace gasoline power plants, he said.

MacPhail and other scientists under his direction forecast that successful completion of the jet-propelled railway engines would open a new era in world railroad transportation. They said that if the locomotive proved its practicality it would replace diesel on many types of rail hauls, particularly on long-distance trips.

The Research Council was working on a locomotive turbine in preference to one for cars but at the same time was devoting "a lot of project analysis" to the question of building autojets, MacPhail said.

DANCE COMPETITION

CALGARY—A committee was appointed by the executive of the Canadian Square Dance Association to organize a national square-dancing competition in conjunction with Calgary's 75th anniversary to be celebrated this July.

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Winners At Seed Fair



Some of the winners at the Southern Alberta Seed Fair in Lethbridge were, left to right: H. Kornelson, Coal Dale; Tony Ohami, Ranier; C. L. Benson, Shaughnessy; H. Unruh, Vauxhall; S. Koyala, Raymond.

FUNNY And OTHERWISE

Jack: "Who was the first man to start a forty-hour week?"

John: "Robinson Crusoe—he had all his work done by Friday."

She had been introduced to a radio newscaster. In parting, he advised her to be sure to listen to his radio program at breakfast time if she wanted to know what's behind the headlines.

"I know what's behind the headlines at breakfast time," she said. "My husband."

"The best thing for you to do," said the doctor to the man with a nervous complaint, "is to stop thinking about yourself and bury yourself in your work." "Good heavens," said the patient. "I'm a concrete mixer."

McGregor: "What's the idea of a band of mourning on your left leg, Jack?"

Jack: "Me neither has passed away."

McGregor: "But why on your leg instead of your sleeve?"

Jack: "She was me stepmother."

Jack London was once boasting of his musical ability. "When I was a boy," said the author impressively, "our town was hit by a flood. My father hopped onto a bed and floated downstream to safety."

"What has that to do with your musical ability?" asked the listener.

"Well," explained London, "I accompanied him on the piano."

"I don't know, George; marriage seems such a solemn thing. Have you counted the cost?"

"The cost, dear? Why, my cousin's a clergyman. He'll marry us for nothing."

An American walked into an English shop and demanded a packet of twenty cigarettes.

"Only Tuesdays and Fridays," said the assistant.

"Never heard of them," said the American, "but I'll try a packet."

"Have you seen the engagement ring he's given her?"

"Seen it? I used to wear it."

Calling her husband into the kitchen the worried housewife exclaimed in annoyance:

"—and gracious, Jack! How could you think of bringing that man Robinson home to supper when you know I'm spring-cleaning?"

"Hush, m'dear! Just hubby urgently. He's the only man I know strong enough to help me move the dining-room sideboard."

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FEAR INVASION Rat Spotted In Edmonton

EDMONTON—A lone and probably unsuspecting rat has thrown the province of Alberta into a tizzy. The rodent, spotted and summarily despatched in Edmonton, is the first known member of its species to be at large in the district.

The little invader may be the forerunner of a devastating horde which could cause damage estimated at up to \$15,000,000, and destroy the province's reputation as the only place in North America where the pest does not appear in numbers.

GOOD FOR FERNS

To make your ferns grow rapidly and look green and bright, put two raw oysters, chopped fine, into the pot with the fern about every two or three weeks, and give plenty of water.

A survey shows that 25 men out of 100 wear hats sized 6 1/2.

Churchill Chamber Of Commerce Asks Land Sale; Not Lease

CHURCHILL, Man.—The Churchill Chamber of Commerce has asked the federal department of mines and natural resources that local residents be given permission to make outright purchase of town lots.

At present, all town residential and business, are held on one-year leases from the department's land branch. Chamber officials said the "insecurity" of such short-term leases has had a restraining effect on development of the town.

They said a few persons wish to invest more than a minimum in home or business places because of the regulations.

THE LIMIT

VANCOUVER—Advertising is fine, but there's a limit. Vancouver city council turned down a suggestion that 200 refuse containers with advertising on their sides be placed on city streets.

! GET QUICK RELIEF FROM SORE, PAINFUL PILES

A Candid and Honest Discussion on a Delicate Subject

FOREWORD: This is a frank attempt to give you in non-technical language certain information regarding a widespread and personally annoying physical condition. A condition which not only affects countless thousands, but makes their thousands suffer untold discomfort, pain and embarrassment. Far too often this condition—at first superficial in itself—can be Nature's warning of more serious trouble to come. We believe every man or woman who suffers from this condition owes it to their own personal comfort to read the statement below.

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Since the dawn of civilization, medical men have carried on a ceaseless war. Not only to save human lives, but to relieve—or, better still, prevent some of the physical afflictions of humanity and the incalculable human misery they cause.

Thus, when a famous physician or a noted scientist makes an important therapeutic discovery or perfects a new surgical technique, the news rings round the world. Yet, even while these front-page discoveries are taking place, some of the most widespread human maladies—"hay fever," "the common cold," "athlete's foot"—certain digestive disorders—are under constant scientific study and laboratory scrutiny by men the public never hears of... simply because these "everyday" maladies do not seem serious.

Among these seemingly commonplace afflictions are "piles." Those who suffer from this amazingly widespread trouble are burdened with a double hardship.

They yearn for relief, but hesitate to seek it—merely because of "false pride," the sheer embarrassment of seeking advice or treatment often makes it preferable to suffer in silence. There is no "drama" about piles. No glamour—no glory—no front-page fame for the man who finds a way to help pile sufferers. The subject itself is mostly taboo... it is seldom, if ever openly discussed. But no man or woman who has known, or now knows, the agonizing, embarrassing torment of itching, burning piles—the loss in business efficiency, in social pleasure, in good looks and vitality and sheer enjoyment of life—will deny that a safe and efficient method for relieving this condition, could well be a far-reaching contribution to human health and comfort.

WHAT ARE PILES?

Piles, as such, are not a primary ailment but result from some condition preceding or associated with them. The contributing conditions that cause piles never originate in the parts affected.

In their early stages, piles are inflamed, distended rectal veins—actually, "varicose veins" in the delicate membranes of the rectum. One of their primary causes—surprisingly often, in fact—is a hepatic congestion and torpidity of the liver which results in common, everyday constipation. In ordinary

layman's language, here is what happens:

1. When the liver is unduly congested and its normal function is slowed by sluggishness the flow of blood to the liver from the lower bowel is retarded and dozens of small rectal veins become swollen and distended with blood.
2. This sluggish, congested liver action usually causes constipation.
3. With the start of constipation, hard clogging masses form in the lower bowel and colon.
4. These hard masses press upon and irritate or bruise the sensitive, distended rectal veins, beginning the painful process.
5. Blood thickens and stagnates in the bruised area. The tiny veins become greatly inflamed, over-sensitive, lumpy and thus excruciatingly painful.
6. The pain from these blood swollen veins, plus aggravation of the constipation itself, is "self-perpetuating." The condition increases the itching, burning pain and soreness, which in turn further increases the constipation—which in turn tends to further enlarge and irritate the swollen veins which then become pile tumors. It is a vicious circle.

This is why, from the very onset, piles are sheer torment—as their victims know all too well.

But the agony and embarrassment of piles are only the beginning—really Nature's first call for help.

If help does not come in time, if the vicious circle is not broken, there eventually may be only one answer—chronic piles or the surgeon's knife. A big price to pay for lack of knowledge!

Yet, today in many cases, radical action may not be the only answer. More than half a century ago a able and qualified professional man began an intensive study on the whole subject of piles—their cause and effect. He found a means by which the vicious circle may be broken. This man compounded and tried, in his own practice, many different combinations of ingredients. He finally devised a formula of medically proven elements which showed amazing results in 88 out of 100 consecutive cases that came to his personal and professional attention. Proving that piles come from congested conditions inside the body—never from an outside cause—his final formula was an internal remedy, small tablets taken by mouth.

Now, we have been asked by many well-informed persons "how in the world can small tablets taken with a glass of water three times a day help my piles?" But just stop and think as we repeat—"piles come from congested conditions inside the body—never from an outside cause. Therefore it is sensible to attack piles from the inside where the trouble starts. To combat piles you need internal medication that actually relieves hepatic congestion, stimulates the liver and bile, gently but effectively cleanses the bowels and works to improve the circulation of blood in the

lower bowel. And as proper treatment improves blood circulation in the lower bowel the healing forces of Nature take hold and promote a healthier condition in the sore, painful areas where piles are found. That is why you need internal medication if you want to relieve the internal congestion that is the real cause of piles. It is on that sound reasoning this man originated an internal treatment for piles.

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—By Les Carroll

THE TILLERS



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FERNTIE, B.C.—Sixty-three per cent. of B.C.'s 1949 coal production of 1,810,198 tons came from Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company operations at Fernie and Michel. Collieries, Michel produced 813,998 tons and Fernie 320,007 tons, for a total of 1,134,005 tons.

The provinces total was slightly higher than the 1948 production of 1,809,018 tons. Crow's Nest Pass was slightly lower than its 1948 total of 1,289,185 tons. A third mine in the Crow's Nest area, the Big Shovel, at Corbin, did not operate in 1949.

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Among those attending the W.I. Conference at Edmonton this week are Mrs. R. O. Larson, Mrs. C. V. Larson, Mrs. J. C. McLean, Mrs. E. Rae and Mrs. Alf Larson. Miss Evelyn Prior who is supervising near Vermilion spent last week-end at her home here. Mr. Monte New is an Irma visitor this week.

We are sorry to report the death of Mrs. Selstedt who passed away in the Wainwright hospital on Tuesday, March 20.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack McLean, nee Allison Rome, on March 6, a daughter, Bonny Marylene. The Curling Club is holding a social evening March 29 in Hedley's hall.

You are invited to attend the Free Picture Show in Kiefer's hall on March 30, sponsored by the National Grain Co. Ltd.

The Irma Home and School Association is now going strong with over forty members.

Miss Frances Foster of Wainwright was a week-end visitor at the Simmermon home here.

We are sorry to see Murray Rae with his arm in a sling. Murray had the misfortune to have an accident last Saturday while driving a team and suffered a broken arm and a black eye.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. H. McKay is feeling better again after a recent sojourn in an Edmonton hospital.

A good number of Irmaites enjoyed the address by Mr. J. Jackson over the ALC show at noon on Monday last.

The WMS are sponsoring an Easter program and short play in the United Church. The tentative date for this is April 19.

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 Tendergreen

BEANS—Bush Wax

(Good)
 Dwarf Bush Wax
 Pencil Pod Black Wax
 Round Pod Kidney Wax
 Webber Wax

BEANS—Pole

(Good)
 Blue Lake
 Kentucky Wonder
 Painted Lady
 Scarlet Runner
 Washington Wonder

BEANS—Lima

Pole Lima
 BEANS—Broad
 Broad Windsor
 Dobbies XXX Champion

SPINACH—

(Very Good)
 Bloomsdale Dark Green
 King of Denmark
 Supra
 (Good)
 New Zealand

RHUBARB—

(Excellent)
 Macdonald
 (Very Good)
 Ruby

VALENTINE

(Good)
 Squash—

G. W. Hubbard
 Kitchenette

MARROW—

(Excellent)
 White Bush
 (Very Good)
 Green Bush

PUMPKIN—

(Very Good)
 Connecticut

CORN—On the Cob

(Excellent)
 Bancross (M)
 Burbank (L)
 Earliest Golden Sweet (L)
 Golden Ban (M)
 Vincross (M)
 (Very Good)
 Carmelcross (L)
 Dependagold (M)
 Dorking (M)
 Early Golden Market (M)
 Hybrid M-13 (M)
 Marcross (M)
 Seneca 60 x C13 (M)

PEAS—

(Fair)
 Dorning (M)
 Golden Gem (E)
 Orchard Baby (E)
 Pickaninny (E)
 Seneca 60 (E)

CORN—Kernal

(Excellent)
 Bancross (M)
 Burbank (L)
 Earliest Golden Sweet (L)
 Golden Ste. 4-17 (L)
 Gold Rush (M)
 Senecross (M)
 (Very Good)
 Alphagold (M)
 Dependagold (M)
 Golden Ban (M)
 Golden Cross (M)
 Golden Midget (E)
 Sugar Prince (L)
 Tendergold (L)
 Vincross (M)
 (Fair)
 Dorning (M)
 Earliest Pioneer Hybrid (E)
 Golden Gem (E)
 Marcross (M)
 Pickaninny (E)
 Seneca 60 (E)
 Seneca 60 x C13 (M)
 (E)—Early
 (M)—Medium
 (L)—Late

PEPPERS—

(Excellent)
 Burpees' Sunnybrook
 Worldbeater
 Windsor
 (Very Good)
 California Wonder
 Early Wonder
 Fordhook
 Large Belle
 Oakview Wonder
 Peerless
 Pimento

CAULIFLOWER—

(Very Good)
 Dwarf Erfurt
 Early Snowball
 Snowflake

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—

(Very Good)
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